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The "Voice of Nambo" (Ho Government) broadcast the following announcement in Cochin-Chinese to South Vietnam at 1300 GMT on 14 July 1951:

"Starting Monday, July 16, the Vietnamese morning broadcast of the Voice of Vietnam will be cancelled and replaced by only one noon cast from 11:30 to 12:00 A.M., and one Vietnamese evening cast at the usual time. The two Vietnamese news at dictation speed casts in the morning and noon will be cancelled and replaced by one morning cast from 07:30 to 09:00 A.M. The two French morning and evening casts will be cancelled and replaced by one noon cast from 11:00 to 11:30 A.M. Cantonese, English, Siamese and Mandarin evening broadcasts do not change."

The same station then broadcast this announcement the next day (15 July 1951) at the same hour (1300 GMT):

"Attention Listemers ! Starting today, July 15, Mossow Radio will have a program in Vietnamese every day on a wavelength of 19.73 meters from 07:30 to 07:45 A.M. Vietnam Democratic Republic Time."

SOURCE COMMENT: Radio Moscow has previously never broadcast in Vietnamese language or directly to Vietnam.

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